OUTREACH AND EDUCATION

Join the Theatre Memphis email list* to receive notifications when we add classes and workshops for all ages as well as *A Christmas Carol* School Matinees and student rush nights throughout the season.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Our team offers a variety of ongoing programming such as the following: **Read To Relate,** a community-led celebration of the ALAANA/BIPOC and differently-abled authors and communities that feeds into our Stage Reading Festival (April/May); **SkillSet**, our Adult tech/crew training program; **Tech Academy**, our FREE technical theatre and design mentorship for students 13 to 19; and our expanded **Youth Performance Series** (June/July). We are thrilled to offer events such as the annual **Memphis Children's Theatre Festival** (October 10, 2026).

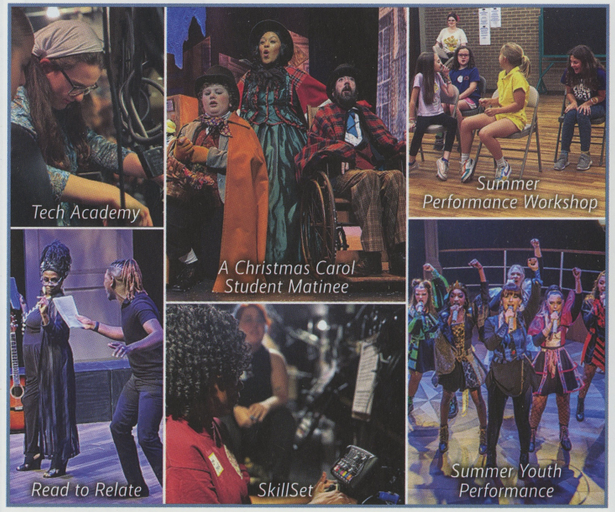
YOUTH PERFORMANCE SERIES

Each Summer, we offer two performance opportunities for students ages 8-18. This summer's offerings include: ***Raise Your Voice*** (ages 8-12/July 2026) and ***CHICAGO: Teen Edition*** (ages 13-18/July 2026).

The cornerstone of our mission is our partnerships with schools and diverse community organizations in Memphis. Please reach out to us at *showagon@theatrememphis.org if you are seeking a new and engaging enrichment opportunity for your organization.

Follow us on Instagram *(theatrememphisinfo)* for new and exciting Outreach and Education opportunities: https://www.instagram.com/theatrememphisinfo

Scan for links for more information on our programming.



Added Attractions

A CHRISTMAS CAROL **Lohrey Theatre**
Based on the novel by Charles Dickens
Presented by ***AutoZone***
DECEMBER 4–23, 2026 ***49th Annual Production***
Directors and Choreographers *Jordan Nichols* and *Travis Bradley*
Music Director *Jeffery Brewer*

A MEMPHIS FAMILY HOLIDAY TRADITION. Miserly Ebenezer Scrooge is approached by the ghostly vision of his former business partner, Jacob Marley, who warns him of an upcoming spiritual journey. An eye-opening exploration leads to happiness and enlightenment, not to mention song, dance and holiday cheer.

All tickets for A CHRISTMAS CAROL go on sale October 13, 2026.

• ***A CHRISTMAS CAROL*** is not part of the season membership, but all season members receive a discount on adult full price tickets for those shows.

HOW YOU CAN SUPPORT US

There are many ways to support **THEATRE MEMPHIS** and our mission:

"To provide outstanding theatrical experiences to enrich the lives of our diverse audiences, participants and community."

• Season Membership • Monetary Donations
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Contact **901.682.8601** for more information or go to **www.theatrememphis.org**

Please check our website often at www.theatrememphis.org to be up to date on all our offerings...and join our ***eblast*** distribution list by signing up on our homepage www.theatrememphis.org or contacting us with your email address of choice to remind you of upcoming productions and events. *Call* **901.682.8601**.

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT US

Our 105 years of always entertaining includes many milestones that have brought the thrills, laughter, music and drama of live theatre to the MidSouth. From One-Acts performed in rented halls in the 1920's to the extraordinary season of plays, musicals and events currently staged in our world-class, state-of-the-art, renovated facility, our commitment to entertaining and serving the community has never faltered.

Hundreds of volunteers give of their time and talents each year to support our mission "to provide outstanding theatrical experiences to enrich the lives of our diverse audiences, participants and community." Their activities are supervised and directed by a professional staff of 15 which includes designers, administrators, facilitators and support staff.

BOX OFFICE HOURS

Closed Mondays
Open Tuesdays - Fridays: 10am until 5pm
Performance Weekdays: 6pm until Curtain
Performance Weekends:
Saturdays: (Lohrey Theatre) Noon until Curtain
(Next Stage) 2pm until Curtain
Sundays: Noon until Curtain

SINGLE TICKET PRICES

* **ADULT: MUSICALS/*A CHRISTMAS CAROL* $35**
COMEDY/ DRAMA $25 * **STUDENT $15**
* **MILITARY AND SENIORS *62+*** get ***$5*** off adult full price

SHOW TIMES

Thursdays, Fridays & Saturdays @ 7:30pm
Sunday Matinees @ 2pm

Performance times for ***A CHRISTMAS CAROL*** vary. Please call the Box Office for details or go to www.theatrememphis.org/performanceschedule

TICKET POLICY

Tickets for season shows may be purchased at any time (with some restrictions). Members receive early priority seating. Tickets must be released at least 48 hours before the performance to receive account credit. TICKETS ISSUED PRIOR TO A PERFORMANCE MUST BE RETURNED TO THE BOX OFFICE TO EXCHANGE FOR ANOTHER PERFORMANCE. Tickets are charged at the time of reservation with NO REFUNDS. Any coupons or discount codes must be used at time of purchase. Military and Senior discounts are not available online.

ACCESSIBILITY

Wheelchair seating is available with reservations upon request. The Lohrey Theatre is also equipped with a hearing assisted system to aid in listening.
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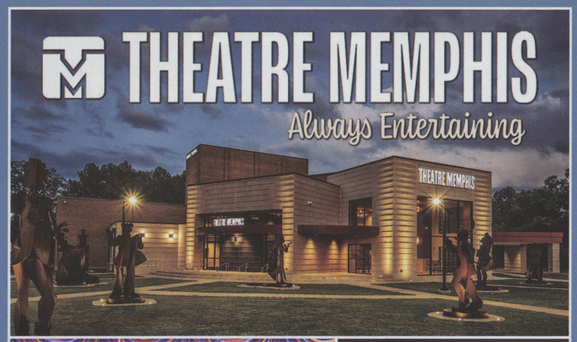

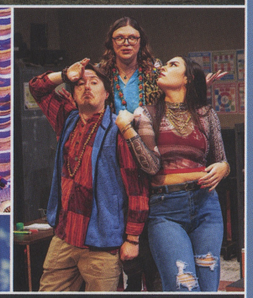

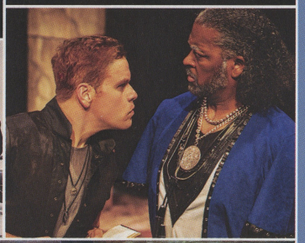

2026-27 Season Selections

THE MUSIC MAN — Lohrey Theatre

Book, Music and Lyrics by Meredith Willson

AUGUST 14-SEPTEMBER 6, 2026

Directors/Choreographers ***Jordan Nichols*** *and* ***Travis Bradley***
Music Director ***Jeffery Brewer***

SPECTACULAR AND ENGAGING. Strike up the band for the ultimate feel-good musical! Fast-talking Harold Hill, a charismatic con man, marches into River City and gets more than he bargained for. With showstoppers like "Seventy-Six Trombones" and "Till There Was You," this masterpiece is a heart-stealing tribute to the power of community and unexpected romance. A parade of wit, warmth, and pure musical magic, this show is a perfect tribute to America's 250th birthday.

Single tickets go on sale and members may reserve seats as of July 7, 2026.
Center section seats are available to the public July 21, 2026.

TWELFTH NIGHT — Next Stage

By William Shakespeare

SEPTEMBER 18-OCTOBER 4, 2026

Director ***John Maness***

WITTY AND MISCHIEVOUS. Step into a world where identity is a mask and love is a delightful madness. After a shipwreck strands Viola, she disguises herself as a man, only to become the middleman in a hilarious, high-stakes romantic triangle. A masterclass in gender-bending antics, clever wordplay, and bittersweet revelry, you'll experience the chaos of unrequited longing and drunken pranks in this timeless comedy. Will true love find its way through the deception?

Single tickets go on sale and members may reserve seats as of July 7, 2026.

MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET — Lohrey Theatre

Book by Colin Escott and Floyd Mutrux, Original concept and direction by Floyd Mutrux, Inspired by Elvis Presley, Johnny Cash, Jerry Lee Lewis, and Carl Perkins

OCTOBER 16-NOVEMBER 7, 2026

Director ***Bruce Huffman,*** *Music Director* ***Nathan McHenry***

ELECTRIFYING AND ENERGETIC. Experience the ultimate jam session with this smash-hit musical inspired by the legendary night of December 4, 1956. Step inside Memphis' Sun Records as we celebrate 70 years since the icons Elvis Presley, Johnny Cash, Jerry Lee Lewis, and Carl Perkins united for the first and only time. This high-energy show features a powerhouse score of rock 'n' roll hits, including "Great Balls of Fire" and "Folsom Prison Blues" A story of fame, friendship, and the music that changed everything!

Single tickets go on sale and members may reserve seats as of September 15, 2026.
Center section seats are available to the public September 22, 2026.

BYHALIA, MISSISSIPPI — Next Stage

By Evan Linder

NOVEMBER 11-22, 2026 *Director* ***Evan Linder***

PROVOCATIVE AND PENSIVE. In this tight-knit small town, a white couple's lives are upended when their newborn baby is born Black. This raw, unflinching drama explores the messy intersections of race, class, and forgiveness in the modern South. As long-buried secrets surface and family ties are tested, the community must confront its own deep-seated prejudices. Deeply human, *Byhalia, Mississippi* is a powerful exploration of what happens when the truth becomes impossible to ignore.

Single tickets go on sale and members may reserve seats as of September 15, 2026.

THE COMPLETE WORKS OF WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE (ABRIDGED) [REVISED] [AGAIN] — Next Stage

By Adam Long, Daniel Singer and Jess Winfield
new revisions by Daniel Singer and Jess Winfield

JANUARY 29-FEBRUARY 14, 2027 Director ***Jeff Posson***

DELIGHTFUL AND OUTRAGEOUS. Experience the impossible as three actors attempt to weave all 37 Shakespeare plays into one wild, high-stakes performance as a fast-paced, irreverent explosion of comedy that tackles the Bard's greatest hits with breathless energy. Whether you're a lifelong scholar or haven't read a sonnet since high school, this meta-theatrical masterpiece promises non-stop laughter. Expect pop-culture rants, questionable wigs, and a whirlwind of Elizabethan chaos. Don't miss this definitive, updated celebration of Shakespeare!

Single tickets go on sale and members may reserve seats as of September 15, 2026.

FIDDLER ON THE ROOF — Lohrey Theatre

Book by Joseph Stein, Music by Jerry Bock, Lyrics by Sheldon Harnick
Produced on the New York Stage by Harold Prince, Original New York Stage Production Directed and Choreographed by Jerome Robbins

FEBRUARY 26-MARCH 21, 2027

Director ***Cecelia Wingate***, Associate Director ***Justin Asher***
Music Director ***Nathan McHenry***

POIGNANT AND TIMELESS. This musical masterpiece captures the heart of tradition. Follow Tevye, a humble milkman, as he navigates the changing world and his daughters' desire for love. Rich with iconic songs like "If I Were a Rich Man" and "Sunrise, Sunset," this soul-stirring production celebrates family, faith, and resilience through a journey of laughter and tears—a classic story that truly resonates with every generation.

Single tickets go on sale and members may reserve seats as of September 15, 2026.
Center section seats are available to the public February 2, 2027.

SEASON MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

- *Season memberships include six tickets.*
- *All tickets may be used on one production or individually on separate productions.**
- *All memberships must be purchased by* ***December 31, 2026****, and* ***members*** *may purchase additional discounted tickets at any time based on the announced ticket sale dates.*
- *All members receive a Member Card with discounts to sponsor retailers.*
- *Contributing level members receive additional benefits like 2-for-1 drinks, tax deductions, discounted tickets to Theatre Memphis events, classes, workshops and more.*
- *All members receive priority seating.*
- *Members may reserve seats in any section for any show based on the announced ticket sale dates.*

* ***A CHRISTMAS CAROL*** *performances are not included in any membership.*

TONI STONE* — Next Stage

An original play by Lydia R. Diamond

APRIL 2-18, 2027

Director ***Sherronda Whitmore Johnson***

PERCEPTIVE AND POTENT. Step into the batter's box with the true story of the first woman to play professional baseball in the Negro Leagues in 1953. This high-energy play follows Toni's fierce journey as she knocks down barriers and out-runs prejudice to play the game she loves. A powerful drama, it's a celebration of resilience and the joy of the diamond. A "home run" that is an inspiring tribute to an American pioneer.

*This play is in our season as a direct result of Theatre Memphis' Read to Relate program.

Single tickets go on sale and members may reserve seats as of November 10, 2026.

THE ODD COUPLE (FEMALE VERSION) — Lohrey Theatre

By Neil Simon

APRIL 23-MAY 9, 2027

Director ***Ann Marie Hall***

COMICAL AND ABSURD. When the poker games turn into Trivial Pursuit, you know the game has changed! In this hilarious female-led reimagining of Neil Simon's classic, the mismatched duo offers a fresh, feminine twist. Watch what happens when a high-strung neat freak moves in with the hilariously cynical and messy acquaintance. From disastrous dinner parties to side-splitting personality clashes, this production celebrates friendship in all its chaotic glory. A timeless comedy about opposites attracting!

Single tickets go on sale and members may reserve seats as of November 10, 2026.
Center section seats are available to the public March 30, 2027.

A CHORUS LINE — Lohrey Theatre

Music by Marvin Hamlisch, Lyrics by Edward Kleban,
Book by James Kirkwood and Nicholas Dante

JUNE 4-27, 2027

Director/Choreographer ***Whitney Branan****
Music Director ***Jeffery Brewer***
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SENSATIONAL AND RIVETING. Experience the high-stakes world of Broadway with this legendary musical that pulls back the curtain on the audition process. Set on a bare stage, seventeen dancers bare their souls, sharing poignant stories of ambition, heartbreak, and the passion that drives them to say, "I hope I get it." Having entertained audiences for 50 years, this is a Pulitzer Prize-winning script with iconic songs like "What I Did for Love." A powerful tribute to the unsung heroes of the theatre, don't miss this singular sensation!

Single tickets go on sale and members may reserve seats as of November 10, 2026.
Center section seats are available to the public May 11, 2027.

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Season Memberships must be purchased by December 31, 2026

☐ **SEASON MEMBERSHIP – $156** 6 tickets
☐ **SUPPORTING – $350** 14 tickets ($70 – TD)
☐ **LEADING – $400** 20 tickets ($100 – TD)
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All upper level members receive a Member Card and 2-for-1 drinks

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